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 For: ELECTRO-OPTICAL DEVICE AND)
 DRIVING METHOD FOR THE SAME)

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of March 2, 2001, the period for response having been extended one (1) month to July 2, 2001, the following remarks are submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

The Office Action of March 2, 2001, has been received and its contents carefully noted. Filed concurrently herewith is a *Request for a One (1) Month Extension of Time* which extends the shortened statutory period for response to July 2, 2001. Claims 1-7, 9, 10, 17-24, 26, 27, and 30-55 are pending in the application, and are believed to be in condition for allowance.

Initially, the Office Action objects to the drawings for allegedly failing to show every feature of the claimed invention. Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection due to the fact that the claim feature "the first TFT having a bottom gate type and the second TFT having a top gate type formed on the first substrate" is illustrated at least in Fig. 11D of the drawings. Reconsideration and withdrawal is earnestly solicited.

The Office Action rejects claims 7, 9-10, 17-19, 27, 30, 51-52 and 54 under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as anticipated by *Takemura* (U.S. Patent No. 5,581, 092), claims 20, 45-46 and 55 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as unpatentable over *Takemura '092*, claims 1-

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